Mr. Merchant, why not place an announcement in the Gazette and invite the newcomers to Alexandria a visit your store and inspect your goods?

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GOVERNOR DAVIS HERE

Makes Brief Stop In the City While on Way to Mount Vernon and Camp Humphreys.

Governor Westmoreland Davis arrived in the city today noon and made a brief stop here while en route from Richmond to Mount Vernon, where he is to attend a meeting of the Regents to be held this afternoon, and later on to pay a visit to Camp Humphreys.

The governor was accompanied by Mr. F. D. Williams, of Richmond. He was met at the railway station by President Robert L. Payne, of the Chamber of Commerce; Carroll Pierce, of the Citizens Bank; Commonwealth's Attorney Samuel G. Brent, Robert F. Jones, J. Y. Williams and Major Lanagan, the latter representing Colonel Richard Parks, of Camp Humphreys. The governor's party was taken on board the official private car "Mount Vernon" of the Washington-Virginia Railway, shortly after their arrival in Alexandria, which carried them to Mount Vernon.

During his stay here Governor Davis had the pleasure of meeting several of the representative men of the city, including President Edward L. Daingerfield, of the Citizens National Bank; Mr. William B. Smoot and others.

Mr. Smoot joined the governor's party and all of the gentlemen named, with the exception of Mr. Daingerfield, journeyed down to Mount Vernon.

NEWSPAPER MEN NOT EXEMPT

Do Not Come Under Law as to Industrial Enterprises, Rules Provost Marshal.

"Registrants engaged as employees of newspapers, or engaged in general newspaper work, are not engaged in an industrial enterprise within the meaning of the law and regulations," according to a ruling of Provost-Marshal-General Crowder made by Major Roscoe S. Conkling, judge advocate. "Hence it would follow," continues the ruling, "that these persons are not entitled to deferred classification on industrial grounds," under the selective service law.

The judge advocate's ruling points out the definitions of "industry" emphasizing the idea of productiveness; such as, "productive activity," and "productive labor"; and declares that such definitions were undoubtedly in the mind of Congress in the enacting of the law. 'The fact that Congress used the words 'industries, including agriculture' clearly shows that Congress had in mind in drafting and enacting this law the limited definition of 'industry' to productice activities as distinguished even from agriculture. It is therefore clear that Congress intended to limit the term 'industry' to productive industries."

BOMBS WRECKS HOUSE

Explosion Brings Roof Down Upon Them, But They Crawl Unharmed From the Debris.

Pittsburgh, May 11.—With a detonation heard several miles, the south end of West Elizabeth borough was rocked and the residents of that district were hurled from their beds early yesterday morning, when a bomb wrecked the home of Chief of Police George Wilson, in Third street. Chief Wilson and his family narrowly escaped death when the roof of their home fell in.

A score of persons in adjoining houses are suffering from brulses, sustained when they were tossed from bed by the blast. The bomb was placed on the front porch of the Wilson home, close to the front door.

The front of the house was blown out into the street and the family was compelled to seek safety by crawling from under the debris. More than a dozen houses in the vicinity of the Wilson home were damaged, and the windows in houses a mile away were shattered.

It is thought the bomb was placed by members of a "Black Hand" society, who had made threats against the chief following the arrest several weeks ago of a man on suspicion that he had sent threatening letters to the foreign population of that district. A few minutes after the explosion several residents saw a man running away from the scene, carrying a suitcase.

PULLMAN CAR SEARCHED

Prohibition Commissioner's Men Go Through Train and Find Much Liquor.

Eight men with seven suit cases, six handbags and bundles, alleged to contain ardent spirits, were taken from a train arriving in Fredericksburg at 10:37 Thursday night. Inspector William E. Payne, of Commissioner of Prohibition J. Sidney Peter's staff, went through the Pullman car in which the men were sleeping and executed search warrants. A telegram to Commissioner Peters from inspector Payne yesterday afternoon said that two of the prisoners had escaped. The others were held over night and brought to Alexandria yesterday morning. Inspector Payne and his deputies have been active at Fredericksburg for some time, and it was stated at the office of the Commissioner of Prohibition yesterday that it was not uncommon for six and more arrests to be reported by him daily.

SENATOR MARTIN ON SUFFRAGE

Declares He is Satisfied Majority of Virginia Women Do Not Want to Vote.

Washington, May 11.—Senator Thomas S. Martin, in a short speech in the Senate yesterday while the Federal suffrage amendment was under discussion, declared he would support woman suffrage if the women of Virginia desired the ballot, but he is satisfied that a majority of the women of his State do not care to vote.

"I simpsly desire to say," said Senator Martin, "I would be delighted to see a referendum of the women of Virginia on this question, and I would be glad to have the women of my State determine this matter for the State of Virginia. Whenever I am satisfied that the majority of the white women of Virginia desire to vote, I will support the proposed constitutional amendment. I will vote to give them the vote.

"I repeat, I would be delighted to see a referendum, not of the men, but of the women alone, and I will follow the wishes of the women, regardless of what the men say about it."

ACCIDENT TO TRAIN.

Eight Drafted Men Succumb in Railroad Accident in South Carolina.

Eight soldiers were killed and twenty-three injured, three of them seriously, in the railway accident between Columbia and Greenville, S. C., yesterday, the War Department announced last night.

The dead were all members of the 321st Infantry.

Although the text of the telegram was not made public, it is known to have stated that the victims of the accident were in the two cars which fell a distance of about fifteen feet from a trestle. According to the report there were no suspicious circumstances connected with the tragedy, but a court of inquiry has nevertheless been named by the commanding general at Camp Jackson in line with customary army procedure.

Notice.

E. G. Schwarzmann, who formerly conducted a grocery business in this city, enlisted on May 1, 1918, in Co. 67B, Paris Island, S. C., and any one holding bills against the business or any one to whom the firm owes bills will please present same to Mr. George H. Schwarzmann, at the Old Dominion Glass Works, for settlement. Also would like to dispose of a 20x40 foot building with fixtures for grocery business. Building can be moved. Also for sale a 6-cylinder Jack Rabbit, 1916 model, in perfect condition.

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Notice.

The business formerly conducted by the late Julian F. Chauncey will be hereafter carried on under the name of Mrs. Julian F. Chauncey. The public and particularly former customers, are notified that the best quality of all kinds of meat and meat products will be handled and sold, and their patronage is respectfully solicited.

HELENA C. CHAUNCEY.

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Notice of Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Virginia Brick Company will be held at their works in Alexandria county, Va., on Tuesday, May 14, 1918 at 12 o'clock noon. W. E. Pearson, president; F. E. Evans, secretary. 110-3t

Alexandria City and Suburbs

Miss Anne Lewis Jones is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. C. C. Shriver, at her home in Baltimore.

The dance at the Soldiers Club tonight at 8 o'clock will no doubt be largely attended. All who hold invitations to the Red Cross series of dances are expected to attend.

Commandant David Main of Philadelphia will speak in Trinity Methodist church tomorrow night on "The Salvation Army in the Trenches." In the morning "Mothers Day" will be observed with appropriate services. The public is invited to these services.

The Rev. H. E. Brauer, Lutheran Army Chaplain, will take for his subject at the morning service in Immanuel Lutheran Church tomorrow "Christ's Ascension as Indubitable Proof of Our Salvation." In the evening the Rev. Mr. Brauer will conduct services at Accotink for the soldiers.

The Elks lodge will hold a meeting on Monday evening in their lodge rooms in their home on Prince street. Notwithstanding the fact that the Home is now being used as a Soldiers Club, Mr. Joseph Keating, who is in charge, very courteously arranged to have the use of the lodge room given over to the Elks for their meeting on the evening stated.

Quite a number of Alexandrians are planning to go to Washington to hear Commander Eva Booth, leader of the Salvation Army, who is to deliver her famous lecture, entitled "The Stars and Stripes," in the Belasco Theater at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The admission will be by ticket only. Other noted speakers from New York and Philadelphia are to be present and participate. Vice President Marshall is to preside.

Liberty Lodge of Rebekah, No. 16, an auxiliary to the local lodge of Odd Fellows was instituted Thursday night and officers were installed by Mrs. Ledenshon, of Richmond, and the degree team from Dorcas Lodge of Washington. The lodge starts with a membership of 56 and the following officers; Mrs. F. L. Bartlett, noble grand; Mrs. W. L. Martin, vice grand; Mrs. H. O. Hullings, recording secretary; Mrs. Harry Arnold, financial secretary; Mrs. G. E. Remington, treasurer; W. L. Martin, right supporter to noble grand; Mrs. W. E. Latham, left supporter to noble grand; Mrs. W. Clifton Cunningham, right supporter to vice grand; Miss Bessie Davis, left supporter to vice grand; Mrs. Joseph, chaplain; Miss Bessie Chilcott, warden; Mrs. J. Wilmer McMenemin, inside guard; Miss Josephine Williams, outside guard, and Mrs. James O'Meara, conductress.

Monday at the Grand Theater.

Beautiful June Elvidge is the star in "The Strong Way," the new World-Picture Brady-Made which on Monday next will be seen at the Grand Theater. Miss Elvidge in this production appears in the role of Eunice Torrence, a young New York girl, who marries Geoffrey Farrow, a wealthy real estate dealer. Farrow turns out to be anything but a desirable husband. He has a fondness for women which his marriage does not eradicate and he develops an attitude toward his wife which finally drives a former lover of her's to take her part. It is all very interesting and fast-moving.

Death Notice.

DIED—Wednesday, May 8, 1918, at 331 Devere's Court, Alexandria, Clara Lee. Funeral will be held from the Ebeneezer church, Queen and Patrick street, tomorrow, May 12, at 1 p. m.

Notice to Elks.

Alexandria Lodge of Elks No. 758, B. P. O. E., will hold its regular meeting in their lodge rooms on Prince street Monday night, May 13, at 8 o'clock. Business of importance will be brought up. By order of

A. A. Paul,
Exalted Ruler.

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Notice to the Virginia Greys.

All players who wish to play in any games this season will please be at practice on their diamond on North Alfred street on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons at 6 o'clock. Otherwise they cannot expect to play.

Manager.

Ensign Bertram Rodda, of the Salvation Army, is to speak at Grace Episcopal church tomorrow night.

Mrs. George Y. Dodd has returned from a visit to her niece, Mrs. A. P. Megeath, at her home in Loudoun county.

Mrs. J. G. Cockey, Mrs. C. E. Outcalt, Miss Irma Coleman, of this city Mrs. R. J. Yates, of Del Ray and Mrs. Henry Knowles, of Falls Church, left this morning for Harrisonburg, Va., where they go as delegates to attend the annual convention of the Woman's Missionary society of the Baltimore Conference. The convention will open this evening and will close on Tuesday night.

There will be preaching at the Second Presbyterian church to morrow by the pastor, Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison, at both the morning and evening services. At the 11 o'clock service in the morning he will take as the subject of his sermon, "The Glory of Womanhood." In the evening the theme will be "The Moral Lessons of the War." Sabbath School will be held at 9:30 and Christian Endeavor meeting at 7:15. p. m.

Mr. Gordon Reese, of the Y. M. C. A., at Quantico, will speak at the 11 o'clock service in St. Paul's Church tomorrow morning, on his experiences while at the battle front. Mr. Reese spent a year "over there" and is now doing Y. M. C. A. at the Marine station at Quantico and is deservedly popular with the men and also with all Alexandrians who have been so fortunate as to meet him and be associated with him in any branch of camp welfare work.

The Cardinal Athletic Club baseball team will play the strong United States service favorites from Fort Hunt, Va., on the Alexandria High School field Sunday at 3 p. m. sharp. The soldier boys have a strong and well balanced team, including a former star of the late Federal League, and are sure to make the Cardinals hustle to win. Manager McDonald will use the best players of the Cardinals, and will make the "fighting sons of Uncle Sam" play hard to beat the home lads.

The people of Alexandria county have reason to feel highly gratified at the excellent showing made by them in the third Liberty Loan campaign recently closed. According to the figures given out by Mr. E. Wade Ball, chairman for the county, the allotment for the county was $20,000, the subscriptions $71,600, or 251 per cent in excess of the allotment. Of the amount subscribed $44,350 came through Alexandria county sources and $27,250 through Washington agencies.

At the Richmond and Surprise Tonight

If the amount of strong and swift action in a photoplay is any measure of the popularity it is to enjoy William Farnum's new and superb de luxe production of the East and West, "Rough and Ready," is certain to be hailed as the most remarkable drama the Richmond Theater has shown in months. The picture, a splendid William Fox offering, will be seen at the theater on tomorrow.

Mary Miles Minter, charming little girl actress whose extraordinary success in ingenue parts is due to her naturalness and great personal beauty as well as to an inborn genius for pictorial interpretation, is delightfully cast in her new American-Mutual production "A Bit of Jade," at the Surprise.

YOUNGSTERS BREAK LAW.

Ride Bicycles Upon Sidewalks to the Peril of Pedestrians.

Complaint is made, especially by persons residing in the new sections of Alexandria, of the practice of boys riding bicycles upon the narrow sidewalks. They mount machines and sound horns and bells to let everybody know they must give them the right of way. Small children are often in front of their homes, and the custom referred to emperils the little ones. These youths may not know that they violate a law which calls for a fine of five dollars.

Mr. James E. Dodd, of Del Ray is on a business trip to Chicago.

Tomorrow — "Mothers' Day" — will be generally observed throughout the city.

Mrs. Frank Cain, of Washington, and Mrs. Taylor Dabney, of this city, are visiting their brother, Mr. Chester Kuhn, in Richmond.

Mr. Ludolph G. Schroeder, an evangelist, formerly of Petrograd, Russia, will speak at the Christian Endeavor Society meeting in the Westminster building tomorrow evening at 7:15.

The open-air meeting to be held by the local branch of the Salvation Army this evening will be conducted by Maj. and Mrs. Quirk, of Birmingham, Ala., and Commandant Frank Croft, of Philadelphia.

The Herbert Springs branch of the Red Cross will give a dance Monday evening at Fort Hunt. Those from Alexandria attending will leave Prince and Royal street at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening and will be met at the station by conveyances from the fort.

Mr. Richard M. Green, Jr., the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Green, of this city, who is in France, writes his parents that while attending a concert he was particularly impressed by the enthusiasm of a member of band at the playing of "Dixie," and in seeking the young musician discovered him to be another Alexandrian, George Scott.

The Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation of this city reports that a total of $42,800 worth of the Third Liberty Loan bonds were purchased by men in its employ. Of that amount $26,700 worth were bought by the employees of the shipyard company proper, and $16,100 by employes of the contractors who are doing construction work for the shipyard company.

Mr. W. W. Danner, Secretary of the Mission to Lepers, will address a union meeting of the Alexandria Auxiliary of that organization tomorrow evening at 6:45 o'clock in the M. E. Church South. This service will be conducted under the auspices of the Epworth League. Mr. Danner has recently returned from a tour of the leper mission fields throughout the world and his address will be intensely appealing to all persons interested in the interdenominational work of the organization which is doing its utmost to provide for the physical and spiritual welfare of those afflicted with this dread disease. Mr. Danner will be accompanied by Mrs. Danner and their daughter. The meeting is called for 6:45 o'clock in order that the regular preaching services of the various churches may not be interrupted.

BRITISH FEEL FOOD PINCH.

Further Curtailment of Meat Allowance is Announced.

Washington, May 11.—England is about to curtail still further the consumption of meat. A cablegram to the Food Administration yesterday said that beginning within a few days regulations would be instituted limiting the number of butchers' meat cards for each person to two instead of three, as at present.

A third coupon may be used, but only for bacon, fowl and other meat not classed as butchers' meat.

"The British meat shortage," said a Food Administration statement, "is felt more severely now that at any time since the war started. That the shortage is not confined to meats, however, is showned by the fact that effective control of the milk supply is already being considered and that some sections of English labor favor extensions of the compulsory rationing system to bread, cheese and tea.

POWDER PLANT BLOWS UP.

Wheel Mill of American Co., At Acton, Mass., Destroyed.

Acton, Mass., May 11.—An explosion at the plant of the American Powder Company here destroyed a wheel mill early yesterday and shook the countryside with a force that aroused sleeping residents of towns miles away. None of the employes was in the building at the time and no one was injured. It was impossible, the police said, to determine the cause of the explosion.

POLICE COURT NOTES

Suspected Pickpockets Dismissed, But Ordered to Leave the City.

There have been several sessions of the Police Court during the past 24 hours. A special session was held in the city jail at 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon, a fight having taken place in that institution between two inmates—Willie Clark, colored, and Clifford Harris, of the same race. One had been sent up for 90 days for refusing to pay a board bill and the other is being held for the action of the grand jury, he having been found with an unlawful quantity of lijuor in his possession. Clark was fined $5, which means ten more days of imprisonment should he fail to pay the assessment.

The court convened in the station house an hour later, when the three white men arrested Monday on suspicion of being pickpockets, and committed for five days, again faced the court. They were represented by J. K. M. Norton and H. N. Garner. The police having been unable to obtain any positive evidence against them, they were dismissed, but before being allowed to leave the picture and criminal record of each suspect were exhibited to them. They all had histories which had been obtained from the Washington police. They were told to leave the city at once.

"Topsy" Robinson, colored, was fined $5 for disorderly conduct.

At the 9 o'clock session today F. Gross forfeited his collateral by failing to appear and answer the charge of violating the traffic law.

Herbert Dixon, colored, was fined $10 for assaulting Maud Lyles. Later in the day George Smith, colored, was arraigned at the instance of his wife who charged him with assault and other overt acts. He was dismissed and the couple told to go home and live in peace with each other.

Shortly after noon Deputy Sheriff R. E. Crane, of Alexandria county, brought a colored youth named George Boswell, to the station house on the charge of larceny in Washington. Boswell has thrown a package from an electric train as it was passing Cottage Park, a short distance north of this city. It contained several pairs of gold spectacles. When asked where he obtained the spectacles and to whom they belonged, he said they had been entrusted to him by the Castleberg company in Washington to be delivered to the Washington Optical Company, and he had thrown the articles away in revenge for having been charged with stealing a diamond ring. He is being held for the Washington authorities.

Albert Napper, colored, had in the meantime been brought in by Officer Campbell for disorderly conduct. He was fined $5.

FARMER SHOOTS TWO

Enraged at Chickens' Depredations, He Fires on Youth as They Leave Church—One Dead.

Gate City, Va., May 11.—News has just been received here of a fatal shooting which took place several days ago in an isolated section in the western part of the county a few miles from Duffield. Just as the people were coming out from a schoolhouse on Dry Creek, in which there had been preaching, A. W. Robbins, a middle-aged resident of that community, was seen to snatch out his pistol and fire every cartridge in it at Guy and Andrew Williams, aged, respectively, 18 and 16 years. Guy Williams was shot through from side to side just above the hips, and was also wounded in the side of his face and head. Andrew Williams received a slight wound in his shoulder.

Andrew Williams says that Robbins raised a quarrel with them, charging that their chickens had been depredating on his premises. Neither of the young Williams was armed.

Guy Williams died within three days of the shooting.

Immediately after the shooting Robbins disappeared, and the local officers have thus far not been able to locate him.

Andrew Williams came to town Thursday and testified before the grand jury, and an indictment for murder was returned against Robbins. Williams also put up a reward of $50 for his arrest. This will be supplemented by the county if Robbins is not captured within the next few days.

Robbins and the Williams family, it is claimed, have not lived agreeably for several years.

BLOCKING OF OSTEND

German Submarine Base Said to Have Been Rendered Useless.

As was stated yesterday, the German submarine base of Ostend, on the Belgian coast, has been blocked as the result of a new raid by British naval forces, the Admiralty announces. The obsolete cruiser Vindictive, filled with concrete, has been sunk across the entrance of the harbor.

The British lost one motorboat. Their casualties were light.

Photographic and other evidence from Zeebrugge shows that the Bruges canal is still entirely blocked as a result of the British raid of April 23 and that it cannot be used. The obstructions, it has been found, were better placed than was at first supposed. German attempts to clear the waterway are meeting with no success as a result of British air activity and other causes.

The British have carried out another raid on the German submarine bases on the Belgian coast similar to the one on April 23 when so much damage was done to the harbor and works at Zeebrugge. In the raid on Zeebrugge and Ostend on April 23, the light cruiser Vindictive landed British storming parties on the mole at Zeebrugge, the attackers doing considerable damage to the mole after storming German batteries. Commander Alfred Carpenter was promoted to be captain for bravery in action. The Vindictive was damaged severely in the action at Zeebrugge.

Strong allied flying squadrons bombed the mole and the village of Zeebrugge, the German submarine base on the Belgian coast, at noon and in the evening Thursday.

MORALE OF GERMANS.

Said to Be Increasingly Low and Desertions Freely Talked Of.

The morale of the German soldier is increasingly low, and desertion is freely talked of, says an official British dispatch today. Prisoners from the 199th division captured on May 4, had been unable to obtain rations since May 1, owing to the constant artillery fire. The statement continues:

"The regiment appeared to be very discontented and the prisoners say that the iron rations carried by them had gone bad.

The following letter taken from a prisoner on the Amiens front, is typical example of all German letters, although there are undoubtedly many more letters written in the same strain:

"We are awaiting the enemy; nothing arrives, either food or munitions. The word of command is always forward tomorrow and economize. We have only forty-two rounds of ammunition left. In the neighborhood there are 500 dead horses from which we eat pieces at night. Hunger hurts. I never knew what it was like before."

PASSING OF BAPTISING HILL.

Old Alexandria Landmark Virtually Eliminated During the Past Few Weeks.

The steam shovel which attacked Baptising Hill several weeks ago has about concluded its purpose—that of demolishing that eminence. The shovel has now reached Lee street.

The Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation will erect buildings upon this square, as it has done on the square bounded by Green, Church, Lee and Fairfax streets. A lunch house is to be erected at the latter place.

BURGLARIES IN ROSEMONT.

Homes of Augustus Pohl and Miss Maggie Dean Entered and Robbed.

Burglars last night entered the home of Councilman Augustus Pohl at Rosemont and mony to the amount of five dollars taken.

Burglars also entered the residence of Miss Maggie Dean, in the same section. They carried away a watch and a suit of clothes.

BOY SHOOTS WOMAN

Mrs. Myrtle Williams, of Bristol, Believed Fatally Wounded by Careless Lad.

Bristol, Va., May 11.—As the result of carelessness on the part of three boys with a .22 caliber rifle, Mrs. Myrtle Williams, of this city, is probably fatally wounded. She was struck while sitting on her porch at home, the bullet entering her lungs. The boys were shooting near her home when the accident happened.

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THE UNWELCOME BABES

Over nineteen hundred years ago a babe destined to change the course of this world was lying in a manger in far-away Bethlehem. There was no room in the caravansary for the matron, then in her teens, nor for her precious offspring.

Children seem to be persona non grata now as ever, and at this time, when cities are crowded, many people who are ready to rent rooms to strangers in their midst refuse to offer accommodations to those having children. This far-reaching boycott of the little ones affords serious complaint to those who are acting well their parts by rearing children and living according to the laws of God and man.

A correspondent of a Baltimore paper, who signs herself "A Mother," writes as follows:

"For four days I have been seeking to rent an apartment—and I have seen nearly 100 of them! Most of the apartments have been attractive — rooms large enough to be comfortable, good-sized closet, up-to-date plumbing, kitchenettes that fairly shouted to me "If it's cooked in here, hubby will like it!' In most cases the rents seemed reasonable, considering the times and the cost of commodities in general. I am an American woman, able to furnish good references, and to pay my rent bill when due. My husband is in the army. Yet, out of the 100 apartments which I personally inspected, or inquired about over the telephone, I could secure only one or two in the less desirable neighborhoods. Why? Because I have three children!

It does seem an unfortunate state of affairs that in an American city there should be so many places where the little sons and daughters, for whose protection and freedom the fathers in khaki are breasting the guns, are not wanted. It seems more than unfortunate that in my own home city, Baltimore, where war activities are attracting Government workers by the hundreds, where building is almost at a standstill, where houses and apartments for rent are becoming almost as scarce as hen's teeth, where patriotism is loudly proclaimed on all housetops as a cardinal virtue, I should be denied apartment after apartment because I have three children!

"One lady told me she would see her husband; a gentleman told me he would see his wife. Several said "Good night—three children, 3, 5 and 7 years?—nothing doing!" One said the owner of the apartment was a bachelor, and certainly would object to renting it to a family with three children."

MUST LIST THEIR DOGS.

According to an opinion rendered on Wednesday by Attorney-General John R. Saunders, the Baker Dog Law goes into effect on June 21, 1918, when it becomes the duty of owners to have their dogs listed. This opinion was rendered by Mr. Saunders at the request of Walter E. Hathaway, Commissioner of Game and Inland Fisheries.

As the present war drags its slow length along, the belligerents are finding it necessary to curtail their wants and not to be burdened with unnecessary expenditures. The thousands of dogs which infest every community are attracting the attention of the provident. It costs much to feed dogs, the great mass of which are worthless, and the people of England are considering the advisability of destroying them at once.

People in Alexandria who desire to keep any animal of the canine species are required by law to secure licenses for the same on the first of next month, and by a law of the City Council passed several years ago all such animals when allowed to roam the streets must be muzzled.

The police have during the past few weeks been engaged in making house-to-house inspections of premises in order to have eliminated nuisances or unsightly accumulations. Their orders also were to take an inventory of all dogs found upon premises or which are in any way harbored thereon. Lists of householders who are tolerating curs on their premises will be emade out and a crusade will be started in the near future against all violators of the law.

While all who may be found harboring unlicensed dogs will be arraigned and fined, those who allow such animals to roam the streets without being properly muzzled will be subject to assessments also.

Dogs are a chronic source of complaint. People in America may be compelled to follow the example of England before the close of the war, in order to relieve themselves of the cost of feeding them.

SHOWS RIGHT SPIRIT

"There is less politics in the South these days than in a quarter of a century," remarked H. T. Jones, of Jacksonville, in Washington this week.

"Of course, the South is Democratic and there is no occasion for politics, inasmuch as the Democrats control the Government at Washington. Nevertheless, there are always more or less local political contests in ordinary times. The war, however, has put an end to all local wrangles.

"The politicians who used to go about their districts making issues on anything are without a job now. The only thing a candidate for office can do these days is to make a personal appeal for votes. If he is asked why a man should vote for him, he can give no particular answer. The question of loyalty to the Government is one that cannot be put forward, because everybody in the South is loyal, or supposed to be. Indeed, we have had no trouble with pro-Germans or pacifists in the Southern states.

"There was a time, perhaps, when there was a number of persons who wanted the United States Senate to keep out of the war, but now that we are in it they are of one mind in the South—to go through with it to the finish. The people realize as they never did before that Germany fully intended to come across had she been victorious in her war with France and England."

THE CASE OF AUSTRIA

Twenty-seven millions of human beings are held in involuntary servitude to the Hapsburg throne, suggests the Washington Post, which calls attention to the fact that the stripling who happens to occupy this throne exercises the power of life and death over these people, who are of a different race and language. The men of military age are impressed into the armies that are trying to beat down the instinct of liberty. The manhood of these 27,000,000, in other words, is forced to fight for Hapsburg and Hohenzollern, forced to strike down and kill the men of France, Britain, America and Italy. Thus the two autocracies actually utilize the intelligence and brawn of men whereby these men forge chains upon themselves and then kill any men who try to rescue them. Tens of thousands of men in the Austrian army would mutiny if they had reason to believe they would be aided in their efforts to shake off the Hapsburg chains. They remain in chains merely because they are not organized and because they are prevented from hearing the call of the trumpet that will never sound retreat.

GIVE THEM THE FACTS.

—As a contemporary observes, if we have more than a half a million troops in France, shipped thither in ten months, it would be good policy to let the German people know by means of the newspapers in neutral countries just how many men we have got over there and how fast they are going. It is only three months since the Prussian Prime Minister said that we could not get troops to the other side because "Americans can neither swim nor fly." Nothing would do the German people more good than to know from month to month how many soldiers we have in France.

The Germans have lost confidence in the Zeppelins. They have lost confidence in the submarines. Russia has been a terrible disappointment. The drive of March 21 has discouraged the Germans by its empty results, and all the official press is trying to counteract this. Conditions in Austria are such that a little more discouragement or the discrediting of the German army might easily start a revolution that would take the Dual Monarchy out of the war as revolution took Russia out.

SUSPECT LASHED.

Man Taken From Jail, Painted Bright Red and Returned.

Henryetta, Okla., May 11.—Thirty citizens of Henryetta, early yesterday took Chris Wagoner, 43 years old, from the city jail, where he was being held on disloyalty charges, escorted him to a lonely spot, stripped him of his clothes painted his body a bright red, administered 20 lashes and then returned him to the jail.

The Battle Cry of Feed 'Em.

Yes, we'll rally round the farm, boys,
We'll rally once again,
Shouting the battle cry of Feed 'Em.
We've got the ships and money
And the best of fighting men,
Shouting the battle cry of Feed 'Em;

The onion forever, the beans and the corn,
Down with the tater—it's up the next morn—,
While we rally round the plow, boys,
And take the hoe again,
Shouting the battle cry of Feed 'Em.

—Fred Emerson Brooks.

HUN PEACE CANT SCORED

Germans Tried to Use Professor Herron, American, In Geneva.

London, May 11.—A story of how an attempted German peace offensive directed toward President Wilson was turned down ignominously by Professor Herron, an American living in Geneva, is told by the Swiss correspondent of the Daily Mail in his dispatch dated at Annemasse, on the Franco-Swiss frontier. Professor Herron is described as a friend of President Wilson.

The German government, according to the correspondent, tried to get peace offers sent to the President through Professor Herron, who was visited on April 19 by Professor Quidde, of Munich, a friend of Count von Hertling, the Imperial German Chancellor. Professor Quidde was accompanied by the Dutch pacifist, Dr Jong Van Beek.

Professor Quidde said he had come to "prepare the way for a merciful peace" and gave Professor Herron to understand that he spoke for Chancellor von Hertling and the German foreign office.

Germany, Professor Quidde said, was willing to make the following terms:

First, to grant autonomy to Alsace-Lorraine within the limits of the German empire, provided the allies would not broach the subject of Alsace-Lorraine at the peace conference.

Second, the Brest-Litovsk peace treaties not to be discussed at the peace conference, although the allies might submit claims for the revision of them and Germany might make certain concessions.

Third, no economic war against Germany after the war.

Fourth, the German colonies to be restored.

Professor Quidde asserted that the present offensive in France had the ultimate objective of achieving a durable peace.

Professor Herron, the Daily Mail's correspondent, writes, after listening to the German educator, exclaimed:

"I wonder that you have the effrontery to ask me to lay such a rigmarole of cant deceit before the American people. Far from creating a spirit of conciliation it would simply strengthen the American will to smash the perfidious and nefarious offer of such proposals.

"The United States intends to continue the fighting until the Prussian military power and, if necessary, the Prussian state along with it is extinguished forever as a power for evil, whether it takes one year or ten.

"If you call the remorseless sacrifice of two million men a peace offensive and if you want the United States to recognize your shelling of Parisian congregatons and churches as a part of it, you are making a monstrous and foolish blunder.

"When I listen to your false and treacherous overtures I feel ashamed of humanity."

Professor Quidde, adds the correspondent, left the house weeping. The next week Professor Herron was besieged by new offers by telephone, one of the speakers saying he was Dr. W. S. Solf, German colonial minister. Professor Herron talked straight to all of them, telling them among other things that "The United States no longer wants peace. It wants to sweep out the Aegean Stables at Potsdam."

FIND CARLOAD OF WHISKY.

Greatest Catch Since Georgia Went Dry, Valued at $85,000, Contained 900 Twelve-Quart Cases.

Savannah, Ga., May 11.—Savannah's greatest catch of liquor since the prohibition law went into effect in Georgia was pulled off Thursday night at a point eight miles from the city on the Seaboard Air Line Railway. A solid carload of bottled whisky, valued at $85,000, according to Savannah prices, was caught, and four arrests made. The men arrested were J. H. Bailey and C. C. Tuten and two negroes. In addition to the capture of the car, six automobiles, two wagons and three mules were captured. The car was shipped from Jacksonville via the Seaboard Air Line Railway. It contained 900 cases of liquor, each billed as "empty barrels," each case containing twelve quarts.

The men were caught while in the act of unloading the car.

BUILDING DEMOCRATIC ARMY

Public Interest in Brazil In Country's Militarism Has Grown Rapidly.

Rio de Janeiro, May 11.—Brazil is creating a democratic national army.

Since this country aligned itself with the enemies of German militarism the public interest in the army and navy has grown rapidly.

The compulsory military service act, however, was passed in 1908. It provides that there shall be compulsory military service of three years by all men of draft age, except ——, and it is the exception that is creating the democratic army. Men who have received a certain amount of military instructions are excepted.

The military instruction may be received in military schools, but obviously it is not in most cases.

Numerous "Linhas do Tiro," or rifle ranges, have been established throughout the country. Nearly 200,000 men already have been enrolled in these "Tiros."

Twice a week the men practice military drill and marksmanship at the ranges. When they become sufficiently expert they are enrolled in the reserves and are not obliged to serve their three years in the regular army.

Naval reserves are being trained by the same mthod. This service attracts many young men because of the actual training and short sea voyages given on naval ships.

UPHOLDS BOYS' RIGHT

Judge Orders Trial of Guard Who Used Broomstick on Youngster's Anatomy.

New York, May 11.—The inalienable right of every red-blooded kid to steal a peek under the flap of a circus tent is an item of such ancient and honorable standing that County Judge McDermott, who presides in Brooklyn, may rest assured that the upgrowing generation of Brooklynese, masculine gender, not to mention a few high-spirited so-called tomboys, is with him to a man.

Judge McDermott frowned down from the bench when John Douglas, a circus hand of the Barnum & Bailey forces, was arraigned on a charge of assault. The assault, it was alleged, consisted of administering a sound thumping with a broomstick to that part of the anatomy of Robert Russell, of the circus age of 11, which the boy did not deem it necessary to drag inside the big canvas inclosure when he was stealing his peek. Douglas pleaded not guilty and then listened to this pronouncement from the kid-loving judge:

"I appreciate the fact that these young lads sometimes become annoying to their elders, but under no circumstances does that in the least justify an assault. Moreover, it cannot be proved to me that when the circus comes to town it is a crime for a little lad to steal a look under the tent. To beat a boy found doing so is the act of a cowardly bully." Saying which, Judge McDermott held Douglas for trial.

SOMME STILL CRITICAL.

British War Office Says German Reserves are Moved There.

London, May 11.—"The bulk of the German reserves is still in the rear of the Somme front and it must be assumed the enemy's big main effort will be in that direction," said a representative of Gen. Delma Radcliffe, Chief Director of Military Operations, at the War Office, in summing up the week's war developments yesterday. "It is equally certain that he will not discontinue his attacks in Flanders."

In the period between March 21, when the German offensive was begun, and April 25 the losses of the French were only one-fourth to one-fifth those of the British, General Radcliffe's representative added. Since April 25, he said, there has been no reason to believe the losses of the French have been any heavier than those of the British. (The losses of the British since March 21 were estimated on May 4 by the British Military Mission at Washington at nearly 250,000.)

This information was given out in refutation of German propagandist assertions that the French have been bearing the brunt of the battle.

BAN TEUTON PRODUCTS.

Doctors Will Not Purchase German Instruments for Fifty Years.

Fort Dodge, Iowa, May 11.—A fifty-year ban has been placed ban has been placed by the Iowa State Medical Society upon the purchase of medical implements or appliances or other things made in Germany. At the society's convention here yesterday pledge was given that such purchase by any member during the next fifty years shall be considered evidence of pro-Germanism.

Why Does Milk Cost so Much?

Well, does it?

Wheat (which means flour) used to cost ninety cents a bushel: now brings two dollars and twenty cents—an increase to nearly two and a half times its former price.

The farmer, as well as the man in the city, has to eat and most dairy farms do not raise wheat.

That means that it costs two and a half times as much as it did to feed the farmer and his men.

At Featherstone, between forty and fifty people have to eat.

Bran, which used to cost twenty four dollars a ton, now costs from fifty to sixty and all the cows at Featherstone eat bran every day.

Hay used to cost fifteen dollars. Now, it costs thirty two dollars a ton and the Featherstone cows eat a ton every day.

Featherstone milk, today, sells for only eighteen cents a quart.

Do you suppose it could have been sold for nine cents, two years ago?

Of course it could not. At that time, "ordinary" milk sold for twelve cents—and who ever heard of a dairyman getting rich?

Featherstone milk is, today, the cheapest of foods for children. It's worth a good deal more than the price we ask.

Do yours get it?

P. S.—Did Friday night's thunderstorm sour your milk? Featherstone milk stays sweet.

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Belvoir Special

The ladies of Alexandria and suburbs are invited to make the ladies' parlors their rest room and meeting place whenever in the city. Tea will be served to individuals or parties, from 3 to 5 o'clock, each afternoon. Cafe service from 12 noon until 12 midnight, a la carte. After-theater parties solicited.

W. H. WHITTAKER,
Manager.

BRANDED HER STEPSON.

Burns Him On Face and Hands For Stealing Jelly.

New York, May 11.—Mrs. Charles Strang, of West New Brighton, was found guilty in the Court of Special Sessions, Staten Island, of having branded her stepson, Raymond, 11 years old, on the face and hand with a red-hot poker, because she thought he had gone to the larder and helped himself to jam without her permission. The woman's husband, who is charged with inflicting burns on his daughter, Elizabeth, 10 years old, in much the same manner, was ready to go to trial when his wife's case was completed.

The testimony on which the woman was convicted was furnished by Raymond, Elizabeth and John Strang.

"I saw my stepmother take the lid off the stove and heat a poker for three minutes. Then she put it on Raymond's hand and face and then placed his hand on the stove."

John Strang told the Court that on the day of the branding of his brother he was ill in bed. He said that he asked what Raymond was crying about and his stepmother replied:

"I fixed him for stealing jelly; I wanted to burn his tongue also."

FIRE SWEEPS SEA RESORT.

40 Bungalows, Hotel and Other Buildings Burned at Nassau.

Long Beach, N. Y., May 11.—Fire yesterday destroyed the postoffice, a small hotel, 40 bungalows and other buildings and the boardwalk at Nassau-by-the-Sea with a property loss estimated at $100,000.

United States Coast Guards and Naval Reserves fought the blaze, tearing down many bungalows in a successful effort to prevent the flames from spreading to other parts of Long Beach. The fire started in the hotel and is believed to have been of incendiary origin.

Classified Advertising

WANTED—At once, a carriage builder or helper. Apply Frank Rost, 105 South Payne street. 111-3t

LOST—In front of the Mt. Vernon garage, a pocketbook containing $20 and license car picture. Liberal reward if returned to James McGuinness, Mt. Vernon garage, St. Asaph street, city. 113-1t

MARRY IF LONELY—For results, try me; best and most successful "Home Maker;" hundreds rich wish marriage soon; strictly confidential; most reliable, years experience; descriptions free. "The Successful Club," Mrs. Purdie, Box 556, Oakland, California.

WANTED—Boy with wheel, over 14. 309 King street. 103-tf

WANTED—A young girl to do light work from 9:30 until 11:30 in the morning. Apply at Fairfax Apartment, No. 14. 113-1t

WANTED—Capable young lady stenographer; opportunity for advancement; congenial surroundings. Apply to the C. & P. Telephone Co. business office, 105 North Alfred street. 111-3t

WANTED—Experienced help in shoe factory; we can offer good positions to Heel Trimmers, Edge Setters and Finishers. Answer at once. State salary wanted. A. Roth Shoe Mfg. Co., 8 W. Lombard street, Baltimore, Md. 112-5t

FOR SALE OR RENT—7-room house, lot and stable, at Barcroft, Va., on electric line, 6 miles from Alexandria; will sell on easy terms or rent at $15 per month. P. O. Box 43, Alexandria, Va. 109-6t

WOOD FOR SALE—Pine wood sawed stove length, $10 per cord delivered at your door; store now for winter. Drop a posal to Harry Beasley, Route No. 2, Fairfax, Va. 109-6t

WANTED—Young man in hardware store for general work. An opportunity to learn a good business and earn fair wages. Apply Carlin-Hulfish Company, 315 King street, city. 111-3t

WANTED—Two first-class carpenters. Apply to S. D. Devaughan, 209 N. Royal street. 108-6t

FOR SALE—Two-ton Alco truck chassis. M. L. Horner, or Central Garage. 111-3t

HIGHEST CASH PRICES paid for old feather beds. Drop postal and will call to see you. Address F. R. C., care Gazette. 111-5t

SELLING OUT entire stock of wall paper, by the first of the month. Wall paper from 5 cents a double roll up. B. E. Mudd, 129 South Fairfax street, Alexandria. 111-3t

FOR SALE—Overland roadster, first-class condition; must be sold at once; cheap. Apply to Mr. Wood, 313 Prince street. 110-4t

FOR SALE—Pure bred pigs, registered Duroc-Jerseys, sows and boars; finest blood lines. C. A. Gwinn, Valusia Farm, Alexandria, Va. 110-4t

WANTED—Young man for clerical position at Camp Humphreys. Apply 309 King street, Alexandria. 109-tf

FOR RENT—One 4-room apartment, and furnished rooms for men; also for sale, 3 beds and springs, three dressers and some electric fans. Apply to M. S. Fairfax, Prince and South Royal streets, city. Phone 582. 108-6t

PAPER HANGING, and Window Shades made to order. Estimates cheerfully given. H. E. Webb, 137 South Fairfax street. Phone 716. Thurs.-Fri.-Sat-tf.

WANTED—Middle-aged white woman to handle storeroom supplies. Call at Hotel Belvoir, Alexandria, and ask for the manager. 109-5t

WANTED—Furnished or unfurnished country, suburban and city houses for high class tenants; long or short terms. M. L. Horner, 612 King street. 111-tf

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At 45c yard; seven-inch satin ribbons in white, pink, and blue for sashes, hair ribbons and girdles.

At 60c yard; a special lot of 7 1-2-inch high luster white satin ribbon for sashes and girdles or hat trimmings.

At 59c and 39c yard; brocaded sash and hair ribbons, in white, pink and blue. Sash ribbons at 59c yard are 61-2 in. wide, hair bow ribbons at 39c yard are 5 inches wide.

At 28c yard; plain 5½ in. satin, taffeta, moire ,fancy striped satin and moire effects in white, pink and blue, also fancy light and dark flowered ribbons, stripes and plaids.

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Repair Your Electric Fans Now

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We charge oiling and cleaning $1.00
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629 King Street.

URGES PEACE PRAYER

Pope Asks That Special Petitions Be Offered on St. Peter's Day.

Rome, May 11.—A special prayer for the cessation of the evils tormenting humanity during mass on St. Peter's Day, June 29, is urged by Pope Benedict in a special message addressed to the whole world. "The end of the fourth year approaches since Europe is in conflagration," says the message. "During this time the violence has never diminished, but increased, so that we never have had moments of relief from ever-increasing ills and afflictions."

Continuing the pope says that owing to the ministry entrusted to him by Providence and animated by the charity of Jesus Christ, nothing has been left unattempted to remedy these afflictions. He urges the world to trust in God, who is the arbiter of the will of men and human events and to trust His mercifulness to put a speedy end to so many storms, hastening peace and restoring among men a reign of justice and charity. He urges the clergy throughout the world to offer the holy sacrifice for this purpose on June 29, a day sacred to the apostles, St. Peter and St. Paul, supplicating that that the supreme desire of all be granted and "that justice be restored."

U-BOAT TOLL CUT ONE-HALF

Losses In April, 1917, Twice Those of Last Month.

Washington, May 11. — Official French statistics on the submarine warfare received here in a dispatch from France show that the total losses of allied and neutral ships, including accidents at sea, were approximately only one-half as great during April this year as in April, 1917.

In April last year 634,685 gross tons were lost, while this April's figures are 381,631. Submarine attacks now are most costly for the enemy, the dispatch points out, owing to the fact that the attacks are chiefly made with torpedoes instead of gunfire as was the case before merchant ships were adequately and efficiently armed.

Attention also is called to the fact that each time the Germans have made an offensive on land they made a corresponding effort with their submarines. Thus during the second half of March the number and activities of submarines increased. The first half of April marked a very distinct lessening, attributed to the counter efforts of the allies.

Appointed General Freight and Passenger Agent.

Mr. G. C. Baggett has been appointed general freight and passenger agent of the Washington & Old Dominion Railway, with headquarters at 3506 M street, N. W., Washington. Mr. Baggett was formerly chief clerk to the freight traffic manager, Southern Railway Company, Washington, and holds a record of 17 years continuous service with that company. He will be in charge of all traffic matters for the Washington & Old Dominion and brings to the latter company a thorough knowledge of his duties and its requirements.

Car Kills Baby.

Lynchburg, Va., May 11.—Ann, the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tyree Dillard ,was run over last night by a street car and instantly killed on Grace street, in sight of her mother, who was sitting on the porch. The child suddenly ran in front of the street car and was struck by the fender. Firemen had to jack up the car to release the body. Two years ago a little brother was accidentally killed in a swing at the public school playground.

TERRIBLY SWOLLEN

Suffering Described As Torture Relieved by Black-Draught.

Rossville, Ga.—Mrs. Kate Lee Able, of this place, writes: "My husband is an engineer, and once while lifting, he injured himself with a piece of heavy machinery, across the abdomen He was so sore he could not bear to press on himself at all, on chest or abdomen. He weighed 165 lbs., and fell off until he weighed 110 lbs., in two weeks.

He became constipated and it looked like he would die. We had three different doctors, yet with all their medicine, his bowels failed to act. He would turn up a ten-cent bottle of castor oil, and drink it two or three days in succession. He did this yet without result. We became desperate, he suffered so. He was swollen terribly. He told me his suffering could only be described as torture.

I sent and bought Thedford's Black-Draught. I made him take a big dose, and when it began to act he fainted, he was in such misery, but he got relief and began to mend at once. He got well, and we both feel he owes his life to Thedford's Black-Draught."

WANTS MARRIAGE ANNULED

Mother Declares Daughter Was Wedded When Under 16 Years of Age.

In a supplementary answer to the suit of Mrs. Gertrude Taylor on behalf of her daughter, Helen Weiskoff, for the annulment of her daughter's marriage, which took place in Baltimore last month, Edwin J. Weiskoff yesterday filed an affidavit in the District of Columbia Supreme Court, in which he states that a Henry C. Davis, Jr., secured a license to marry Helen Taylor, the present Mrs. Weiskoff, in Alexandria, last March, a copy of which is filed with the affidavit. In this license the girl's age is given as 19, though it does not state that a marriage ceremony was performed. Weiskoff also filed a copy of her birth certificate, which shows that she will be 17 years old tomorrow.

Mrs. Taylor, in asking the annulment of the marriage, said that her daughter was under 16 years of age when the ceremony was performed, and that the girl did not live with Weiskoff after her marriage. Weiskoff denies both assertions.

PROTEST HUN ACTION.

Policy in Ukrainia Warmly Criticized in Reichstag.

Amsterdam, May 11.—Gustav Noske, Socialist deputy, is quoted in Berlin dispatches as having protested in the Reichstag that "Germany should not figure in history as a public executioner." He said the overthrow by the German authorities of the Ukraine government was likely to bring forth a war of retaliation.

It was undeniable, Noske is said to have added, that there were certain differences between Austria-Hungary and Germany over the Ukrainian question. He asked whether the government was pushing the candidacy of the Grand Duke of Mecklenburg-Schwerin for the throne in Finland after that country had been made a monarchy.

Huge Haase, the minority Socialist leader, urged that Germany must live up to the treaty with the Ukraine which stipulates that the troops of occupation must be withdrawn. He said the German entry of the Crimea was a violation of the peace with Russia. The ministers made no reply to the charge.

PRAYERS FOR END OF WAR.

Catholics Will Make Novena to St. Rita to Hasten Victory.

Catholics throughout the United States, France, England and Belgium will unite next Tuesday in a solemn novena, or nine days' prayer in honor of St. Rita, of Cascia, officially proclaimed by the church as "the Saint of Impossible Things," asking through the saint's intercession a speedy victory for the allied armies and a resultant honorable world peace.

The fame of the miracles wrought through the intercession of St. Rita, it is said by the Catholic leaders, has spread throughout the world, and after each novena to the saint reports of remarkable results from the prayers have been recorded by church authorities. The great number of remarkable cases caused Pope Pius X to proclaim St. Rita officially "the Saint of Impossible Things."

A solemn closing of the novena will take place the night of May 22, which is the feast of the saint in the church calendar.

STRIFE WITH RUSSIA.

Dispatches Indicate Russian Cavalry Hot After German Invaders.

London, May 11.—The Exchange Telegraph's Moscow correspondent says the Russian council of Commissaries has received information to the effect that the city of Rostoff on the Don (reported by Berlin to have been occupied by German troops has been recaptured, the Germans being thrown back thirty miles. Russian cavalry is reported pursuing the Germans.

Washington, May 11.—There were strong indications late tonight of a sudden show of strength and decision on the part of the Russian government toward the central powers, particularly Germany. It is yet too early to base on these expectations any substantial theory of a Russo-Teutonic break in the making.

Nor is it known how far the Russians have managed to recuperate in military respects, but a dispatch from Moscow reporting the recapture of Rostov on the Don, and other rumors, indicate actual military aggressiveness on the part of the Russians.

Free of Charge.

Any adult suffering from cough, cold or bronchitis, is invited to call at the drug store of the Leadbeater Drug Corporation and get absolutely free, a sample bottle of Boschee's German Syrup, a soothing and healing remedy for all lung troubles, which has a successful record of fifty years. Gives the patient a good night's rest free from coughing, with free expectoration in the morning.

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CHURCH DIRECTORY.

Where Religious Services Will Be Held Tomorrow in Alexandria.

Second Presbyterian Church, corner Prince and St. Asaph streets. The Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. in Westminster Building and Payne Street Mission; Bible class, 10 a. m.; services, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Christian Endeavor, 7:15 p. m. A cordial welcome to all.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church, South Pitt street—The Rev. Dr. P. P. Phillips, rector. Sunday school, 9:30; Bible class, 9:45; morning service, 11 o'clock, evening service, 8 o'clock.

Christ Episcopal Church, Washington, Cameron and Columbus streets.—The Rev. William Jackson Morton, rector. Sunday school and Emmanuel Bible class, 9:30 a. m.; services, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Grace Episcopal Church, South Patrick street.—The Rev. Edgar Carpenter, rector. Holy communion at 7:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning service at 11 o'clock; evening prayer at 8 o'clock.

Methodist Episcopal Church South, South Washington street.—The Rev. Dr. E. V. Regester, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; services, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Trinity Methodist Church, South Washington street.—The Rev. A. E. Speilman, pastor. Sunday school and Adult Bible class, 9:30 a. m.; services at 11 a. m. and 8. p. m.

Methodist Protestant Church, North Washington street.—The Rev. Raymond W. White, pastor. Sunday school and Hustlers' Bible class, 9:30, and preaching, 11 a. m.; evening service, 8 o'clock.

Immanuel Lutheran Church, corner Cameron and Alfred streets.—Sunday school, 10 a. m.; services at 11 a. m. by the Rev. H. E. Brauer, Lutheran Army chaplain. Everybody invited.

First Baptist Church, South Washington street.—The Rev. Dr. Eugene B. Jackson, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30; preaching, 11 a. m. and 8. Young People's meeting , 7 p. m.

Second Baptist Church, King street, near Peyton—The Rev. Owen F. Lloyd, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., Mr. George K. Bender ,superintendent. Services, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Young People's meeting 7 p. m.

Saint Mary's Catholic Church, South Royal street.—The Rev. Louis Smet, pastor. Mass at 7 a. m., 9 a. m. and 11 a. m.

Free Methodist Church—South Lee street—the Rev W. H. Van Ness, pastor. Services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Salvation Army—202 King street—Sunday School at 2:30; Young People's League, 6:30, and Salvation meeting at 8 o'clock.

Cuts Fingers Off.

Winchester, Va., May 11.—Berlin Bilhimer, draftee from Rockingham County, is reported to have cut off his right fingers at Camp Lee to escape overseas service. He is said to have chopped them off with a hatchet, throwing the ends away. He is under guard in the base hospital.

FOR SALE—Tar bags for your winter clothes. R. E. Knight & Sons, 621 King street.

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FOR SALE—Household paints, garden implements, rubber hose, garden seed, cooking utensils, ice cream freezers, lawn swings, hammocks, screen doors, wire screening; cheap. R. E. Knight & Son, 621 King street.

Notice

Notice is hereby given, that in conformity with the provision of an Act of the General Assembly of Virginia approved March 10, 1916, (Acts 1916, Chapter 146, pages 219-223-224), the undersigned will on the 1st day of June, 1918, apply to the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, for a license to purchase, store, and sell wine for sacramental purposes, pure whiskey and pure brandy and pure fruit, ethyl, and grain alcohol for medicinal, scientific, mechanical and pharmaceutical purposes; and to purchase and use ardent spirits and alcohol for the manufacture of flavoring extracts, toilet, medicinal and antiseptic, preparations or solutions, and patent and proprietary medicines, as provided in the said Act of the Assembly.

Richard Gibson.
May 11, 1918.

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The celebrated "Munsing" Union Suits, $1.00, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00.

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The comfortable "Athena" Union Suits, 65c, $1.00, $1.50, $1.98.

The new "Lady Sealpax" Union Suits, just as brother's, packed one in a "Dust Proof" Sanitary Container.

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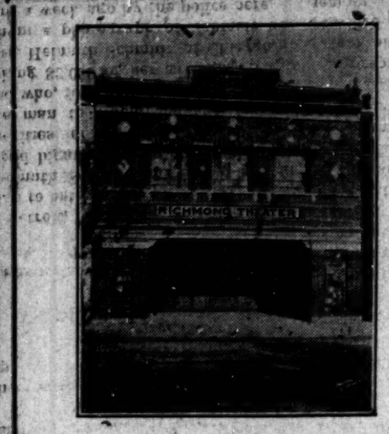

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MAY LEAD HOME REVOLT

Emperor Charles Believed Ready to Join Anti-German Party In Dual Empire.

Berne, Switzerland, May 11.—Emperor Karl is now expected to lead a revolt in his own empire. That's the conclusion drawn from the latest Austrian development by exiles from Austria living and working here.

He'll try to change it from a threatened military outbreak into a political evolution. He'll seek to save his Hapsburg dynasty by splitting from the Hohenzollerns.

Karl is expected to act in his capacity as King of Hungary, not as Emperor of Austria. He has dismissed the Austrian parliament and undertaken absolute rule in that part of the empire, immediately following his open negotiations with the semi-loyal Bohemians, who hate their German rulers.

Hungary continues under parliamentary government. Thus King Karl is placating Hungarians and trying to turn them toward the plan of a federated state, in which Hungarians and Germans will be no more powerful than other nationalities within the impire, in proportion to their numbers.

Hungarians have opposed a federated state, not because they love Germans or the Hapsburg king, but because their alliance with Germans has permitted them to lord it over the Slavic and Roumanian elements of Hungary's population, just as the Germans of Austria have lorded it over the Bohemians, Slovaks and Poles.

Now Hungarians begin to see that their dominance over their neighbors is purchased at the price of German dominance over Hungary.

MINISTER ACCUSED

Rev. C. W. Strickland, of Frankford, Del., Charged With Sedition In Sermon.

Laurel, Del., May 11.—A sensation was created throughout Sussex county yesterday, when it became known that two prominent men, officials of Frankford Methodist Episcopal church, had filed with the Department of Justice affidavits charging their pastor, the Rev. C. W. Strickland, a leading member of the Wilmington Conference, with making seditious statements. The preacher is accused of preaching a sermon in which he said this was a rich man's war; the plutocrats have got control of the Government and that it was a sin against God and man to fight further to enrich them.

He is accused of advising against the draft and buying Liberty bonds, being quoted as saying: "Before I left Wilmington (he went from a Wilmington church to Frankford a year ago) I met a youthful member of my church, who said to me, 'I am going down to the recruiting station and enlist.' I took him aside and convinced him of the folly of sacrificing himself to enrich others and I am happy to say he did not enlist. That is my advice to men."

Feeling is intense. A few friends excuse their minister's conduct on the ground that the horrors of the war have affected his mind. Mr. Strickland, 52 yars old, is a native of England, having been over here 20 years.

Mr. Strickland refused to discuss the charges other than to say he is opposed to war.

EIGHTH WOMAN IN CASE.

Says Helmuth Schmidt Married And Then Robbed Her.

Detroit, Mich, May 11.—The 80 woman to enter the mystery surrounding Helmuth Schmidt, self-slayer and alleged bigamist according to local authorities identified him positively as the man to whom she was married and who, four days later deserted her, taking $2,000 of her savings. She is Mrs. Helmuth Schmidt, of Chicago, to whom a photograph of Schmidt was sent a week ago by the police here.

Word of her identification was sent by detectives in Chicago it was stated.

BURNS HIS GERMAN SHIP

Captain of Eitel Friedrich, Destroyed In Colombia, Says He Received Orders.

An Atlantic Port, May 11.—Passengers on a steamship arriving here this week from Colombia said that the burning of the interned German steamship Prinz Eitel Friedrich in the harbor of Puerto Colombia last month was the act of the ship's commander, Captain Dewall, and that the commander and his crew, after escaping, were arrested. Captain Dewall told the Colombian authorities, according to the passenger, that he set fire to the vessel by order of high German officials.

A brief dispatch received from Bogota on April 26 told of the burning and sinking of the Prinz Eitel Friedrich. The passengers arriving yesterday said she went down in mid-harbor after a successful effort to avert destruction of the pier and loaded warehouses.

The destruction of the ship took place 24 hours before she was to be held under lien for payment of money due to New York brokers who had furnished her with supplies prior to America's entry in the war, the passengers added. Two representatives of the United States Shipping Board were in Colombia prepared to adjudicate the situation.

TRAINS TO CAMP HUMPHREYS.

Expect Branch Railroad from Accotink to be Completed Within the Next Week.

The announcement that trains will probably be running within a week from the main line of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac, at Accotink, oveer a standard-guage railroad, built by army engineer troops, to a point within two miles of the center of Camp Humphreys, is of especial interest to this community, as Alexandria is in close touch with that cantonment and realizes the great convenience to the camp by this railroad service. The road will eliminate the truck service between the camp and Accotink, which now requires 40 trucks, and the truck service between Alexandria is sufficient to use a train of 30 of the large army trucks.

This road was built by the engineers, under the command of Colonel Cornelius Vanderbilt.

Last night an interesting entertainment was held at the Y. M. C. A., at Camp Humphreys, when the principal address was delivered by John D. Rockefller, Jr., who was accompanied by William Knowles Cooper, general secretary of the Washington Y. M. C. A.

ROUNDED UP IN BATH.

New York Police Get 75 Young Men in Slacker Raids.

New York, May 11.—Four police raiding parties entered ten Turkish baths between 3 and 6 o'clock Thursday morning and arrested 75 young men who could not produce Federal or State registration cards. Some of the bathers tried to hide in the steam and the detectives had an uncomfortable time locating them. The raids were made at the request of the Federal authorities endeavoring to round up all military slackers.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that in conformity with the provision of an Act of the General Assembly of Virginia approved March 10, 1916, (Acts 1916, Chapter 146, pages 219-223-224), the undersigned will on the 21st day of May, 1918, apply to the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, for a license to purchase, store, and sell wine for sacramental purposes, pure whiskey and pure brandy and pure fruit, ethyl, and grain alcohol for medicinal, scientific, mechanical and pharmaceutical purposes; and to purchase and use ardent spirits and alcohol for the manufacture of flavoring extracts, tonics, medicinal and antiseptic preparations or solutions, and patent and proprietary medicines, as provided in the said Act of the Assembly.

Edgar Warfield, Jr.

May 4, 1918.

CRISIS BRINGS KAISER HOME

Results From Rejection of Suffrage Reform by the Diet.

Berne, Switzerland, May 11.—Emperor William has returned to Potsdam owing to the political crisis resulting from the rejection of suffrage reform by the Prussian Diet. Count von Hertling, the imperial chancellor, has been summoned to Potsdam to report on the situation.

Berlin, May 11.—Emperor William replied to Chancellor von Hertling's congratulations on the conclusion of peace between Germany and Roumania with this message:

"The termination of the state of war in the east fills me also with proud joy and gratitude. Thanks to God's gracious help the German people with never failing patriotism, under brilliant military leadership and with the assistance of strong diplomacy, are fighting step by step for a happy future.

"I cannot but convey my thanks on this occasion to you and also to your collaborators. God will help us to pass through the struggle which the hostile attitude of the powers, still under arms against us has forced us to continue and to conclude it victoriously for the good of Germany and her allies."

Emperor William, in a telegram to Dr. Richard von Kuehlmann, the German secretary for foreign affairs, said:

"The conclusion of peace with Roumania gives me an opportunity of expressing my joyful satisfaction that peace has now been given to the entire eastern front.

"May rich blessings descend on the peoples concerned from the resumption of peaceful labor to which they can now devote themselves."

CRASH 1,000 FEET ALOFT

One Flyer Killed, One Dying, After Collision Over Long Island

Mineola, N. Y., May 11.—One American army aviator cadet was killed and two other were injured in a collision between two airplanes above Central Park, Long Island Wednesday afternoon.

The student who was killed was John B. Erwin, of Muldrow, Miss. The injured cadets are Ralph E. Jeremy, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., and Julian R. Vidner, of Washington, D. C.

Erwin and Jeremy were in one airplane, which was flying east from Meadowbrook. As their machine passed above Central Park, at a height of about 1,000 feet, Vidner rose in his airplane. A strong west wind swept the two machine into contact in the misty atmosphere, and both fell.

Edwin was instantly killed in the crash. Jeremy was found under the wreckage and may die from his internal injuries. Vidner suffered a broken nose.

The three students arrived at the army signal corps aviation station here a few days ago from Texas, where they had undergone a preliminary course in flying.

SMALL BOYS SAVE A TRAIN.

Two Ten-Year-Olds Discover Broken Rail and Avert a Bad Wreck.

Shenandoah, Pa., May 11.—John McDonald and Martin Monaghan, each about ten years old, are entitled to Carnegie medals for saving a train filled with passengers on the way to this city form plunging down a steep embankment at Lost Creek, on the Shenandoah branch of the Philadelphia & Reading Railway Wednesday afternoon.

The boys were playing near the tracks when they discovered a broken rail and about the same time heard the whistle of a passenger train which was thundering along at high speed. The little fellows acted quickly. Monaghan took off his red sweater and McDonald his coat, and both ran ahead and succeeded in flagging the train before it reeached the broken rail.

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AUCTION SALES.

At the request of the owners I will offer for sale at public auction on Saturday the 18th day of May, at 12 o'clock M., in front of the Royal street entrance to the market, the following described lots of ground with improvements thereon in the city of Alexandria, Va., to-wit:

First: Beginning on the south side of King street 79 feet 7 inches west of Payne street and running thence west on King street 71 feet, more or less; thence south, parallel to Payne street 100 feet to an alley 12 feet wide; thence east on said alley 71 feet, more or less, and thence north in a direct line 100 feet to the beginning, with the right of way over the said alley and all appurtenances.

Second: Beginning at the intersection of the north side of Prince street, with the west side of Fayette street, and running thence north on Fayette street 48 feet 9 inches to the south line of the property heretofore conveyed to Margaret A. Studds; thence west, parallel to Prince street, 35 feet 5 inches; thence south, parallel to Fayette street, 48 feet 9 inches, to Prince street, and thence east on Prince street 35 feet 5 inches, to the beginning, with all rights and appurtenances to the same belonging.

Third: Beginning on the west side of Patrick street, 206 feet 4¼ inches south of Duke street and running thence south on Patrick street 15 feet 2¼ inches, to the line of the lot of ground conveyed by Robert Elliott to George T. Klipstein, M. D., thence west 100 feet to a court, thence north on said court 15 feet 2¼ inches, and thence east 100 feet to the beginning with all appurtenances.

Fourth: Beginning on the north side of Wilkes street 123 feet 5 inches west of Lee street and running thence east on Wilkes street 20 feet 5 inches; thence north parallel with Lee street 105 feet 4 inches; thence west parallel with Wilkes street 20 feet 5 inches, and thence south in a direct line 105 feet 4 inches to the beginning, with the right of way over an alley on the east in common with others.

Terms of sale—Cash.

SAMUEL H. LUNT,
Auctioneer.

Douglass Stuart,
Attorney. 110-td

Aucion Sale of Lots in Section 2, George Washington Park.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust bearing date on February 27, 1914, and duly recorded among the land records of the County of Fairfax, Va., in Liber S No. 7, Folio 242, given by Clarence C. Leadbeater and wife to the undersigned trustee, default having been made in the payment of the note thereby secured, at the request and by the direction of the holder of said note, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction, at 12 o'clock noon, on Tuesday, May 21, 1918, at the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, all those lots or parcels of ground, formerly situated in the County of Fairfax, Va., but by extension of the corporate limits of the City of Alexandria being now located in said city, known as lots 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17, in Block 8, and lots 27, 28, 29 and 30 in Block 4 in a certain plan of lots called "Section 2 of George Washington Park," which said plat or subdivision is duly recorded among the land records of Fairfax County, Va.

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This picture is now playing at the Casino Theater, Washington. Children under 16 years of age not admitted.

The regular monthly meeting of Post F, T. P. A., will be held at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, Saturday night, May 11, at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

J. H. Trimyer, Secretary.
112-2t

License Notice.

State license are due May 1st and this is to notify all persons conducting business or practicing a profession for which a license is required to file their reports and make application for same at once.

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The annual meeting of the stock holders of the Abington Company, Incorporated, for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it, will be held at the main office of the Company, No. 111 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on Tuesday, May 14, 1918, at noon.

E. L. WHITE,
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